THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE FOR INTELLIGENCE. THE NEAREST THING TO IT IS SILENCE. — Quote

The BETHEL OXFORD COUNTY CITIZEN

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"BERT" GROVER HONORED AT AMERICAN LEGION MEETING. At a meeting of the Oxford County Council Tuesday evening at the Jackson - Silver Post in Locke Mills, Dana Brooks, Commander of the Mundt-Allen Post, Bethel, presented Albert S. Grover a life membership card, a Certificate of Participation, a Century Pin for enrolling one hundred members and a National Commander's Cap Badge for enrolling 25 or more members. Mr. Grover is a charter member of the local American Legion Post which was organized over 45 years ago. Pictured above, after the presentation are Dana Brooks, "Bert" Grover and George Wing, commander of the Oxford County Council.

CONTESTS IN BETHEL ELECTION, MARCH 6

Indications are that there will be competition for the elective offices that appear on the ballot in the Bethel town election on March 6.

In the contest for the one vacancy on the Board of Selectmen and Assessors, candidates are Harold Clukey and Rodney Eames. Mr. Eames, the incumbent, is completing a three term on the Board.

There are two positions to be filled on the Board of Directors of SAD #44 from Bethel in the election. Theodore Chadbourne is seeking re-election to a three-year term on the Board. Also seeking a School Director position are Mrs. Musa Brown and Rev. Robert Jackson. Roland Glines, at the present on the Board of Directors, is not seeking re-election.

The office of Fire Ward will not appear on the ballot as reportedly legal opinions, and recent legislation, make such listing unnecessary.

SAD 44 BUDGET MEETING TONIGHT AT BINGHAM HALL

The annual budget meeting of S. A. D. #44 will be held at Bingham Hall, Gould Academy, this Thursday evening, Feb. 23, at 7:30. All voters in the District are urged to attend if possible.

COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

The office will be open Saturday, Feb. 25, from 8 to 4, for excise tax collection.

The selectmen, after their regular meeting Monday night, attended an informational meeting sponsored by the Planning Board. The subject was the proposed zoning ordinances. Mr. Lubka of the Sewall Co. was present to answer questions and help correct the maps to suit the citizens and the Planning Board.

The chairman of the board of selectmen and the town manager were in Augusta Tuesday to attend a committee hearing on the proposed water and sewage districts.

The new truck has arrived and at present is having the dump body mounted in Portland. This piece of equipment should be a very helpful addition to the highway department.

Elwyn N. Dickey

LOCAL TAX RATE TO INCREASE IF BUDGET COMMITTEE FIGURES APPROVED MARCH 6

Following several meetings during January and the early weeks in February, the Bethel Budget Committee has approved a total of $295,504.00 for expenditure by local government during the 1967 municipal year. This amount is subject to the will of the voters at the annual town meeting on March 6. This figure includes Bethel's SAD 44 assessment of $167,640 and an estimated county tax of $12,500. Of the final figure $28,325 will be taken from surplus. After allowance for what will be taken from surplus, a net figure of $267,325 remains to be raised by taxation this year.

The accompanying comparison table shows the 1966 appropriation, total available, expenditures and the current year recommendations in the various accounts.

Town Manager Elwyn Dickey stated, that based on the 1966 town valuation the amount to be raised by local taxation, $267,179, would necessitate an increase of one mill in the Bethel tax rate to 39 mills, or $39 for each one thousand dollars of valuation.

In 1966 a net of $257,728 was raised by local taxation. The total budget a year ago was $277,170.86, of which $19,442.86 was transferred from surplus.

Only three appropriation accounts received a smaller allotment by the Committee than a year ago: Street Lights, $15 less than in 1966; Workmen's Compensation, $50 less; and the Town Dump, $250 less.

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Account	1966 Appro.	Total Available	Expended	1967 Recom.
Miscellaneous	$4,500.00	$7,615.66	$6,800.51	$4,500.00
Officers' Salaries	9,500.00	9,500.00	9,341.75	11,000.00
Police	5,200.00	6,262.99	6,683.65	7,330.00
Fire Department	4,500.00	5,081.01	7,576.34	*5,000.00
Fire Department Equipment	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,280.00	*3,000.00
Civil Defense	400.00	400.00	393.67	400.00
Street Lights	5,650.00	5,824.00	6,240.72	5,635.00
Fire Insurance	350.00	350.00	265.65	350.00
Hydrants	1,950.00	1,950.00	1,950.00	1,950.00
Public Liability Insurance	650.00	650.00	780.00	800.00
Workmen's Compensation	900.00	900.00	915.80	850.00
Hospital Insurance (new acct.)				650.00
Town Dump	1,000.00	1,050.00	1,081.97	750.00
Sewers	2,500.00	2,625.61	936.24	2,500.00
Health Nurse	125.00	125.00	125.00	125.00
Garage Maintenance	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,569.79	2,000.00
Winter Roads	15,000.00	19,570.02	24,631.39	17,500.00
Roads and Bridges	10,000.00	10,491.70	12,179.29	*10,000.00
Surfacing	9,000.00	10,528.85	11,542.55	*9,000.00
Sidewalks	500.00	500.00	0.00	500.00
Surface Drains	1,000.00	1,000.00	918.75	*1,000.00
Street Capital Improvement	4,000.00	8,000.00	0.00	4,000.00
State Aid Construction	3,720.00	3,720.00	0.00	3,984.00
Town Welfare	4,000.00	4,020.96	5,659.61	5,000.00
A. D. C.	2,000.00	2,000.00	1,845.98	2,000.00
Airport	500.00	1,045.70	451.80	500.00
Fire Station Construction	3,522.28	3,522.28	3,522.28	**
Fire Station Improvement	3,500.00	3,500.00	1,956.53	**
Dutch Elm	4,000.00	4,000.00	4,553.45	5,000.00
Social Security	1,650.00	1,650.00	1,513.16	1,650.00
Library	1,000.00	1,070.00	1,000.00	1,500.00
Red Cross Swim. Transportation	600.00	600.00	600.00	600.00
Chamber of Commerce	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Memorial Day	150.00	150.00	150.00	150.00
Parks and Cemeteries	500.00	500.00	619.49	500.00
Insect Spraying	715.00	715.00	682.00	715.00
Assessing—Revaluation	2,500.00	2,500.00	500.00	**
Town Lines	500.00	500.00	0.00	500.00
Christmas Lights	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00
Fire Station Contingency Fd.	2,868.91	2,868.91	2,868.91	**
Razing Old Fire Station	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00	**
Fire Station Const. (cap. Imp.)	6,151.67	6,151.67	6,151.67	**
Oxford Co. Mental Health Assn.				*325.00
Interest on Notes	2,900.00	3,184.43	1,870.26	2,900.00
Total Budget Committee Recommendations				$115,364.00
Schools (S. A. D. #44 Assessment)				167,640.00
Estimated County Tax				12,500.00
Total Approved Appropriations				$295,504.00
LESS Recommended from Surplus				28,325.00
Total to be raised by Appropriation (less Surplus)				$267,179.00
1966—Total Approved to be Appropriated			$277,170.86	
1966—Total Appropriated (less Surplus)			257,728.00	

* to be taken from Surplus
** No request for 1967

BETHEL CARNIVAL QUEEN CANDIDATES — On Tuesday afternoon candidates for Queen of Bethel's third annual winter carnival to be held on March 3, 4 and 5 met at Bingham Auditorium. William Cousins, chairman of the Carnival Queen Committee, distributed the ski movie-coronation tickets to the candidates. Pictured above, left to right: Merton Brown, co-chairman of Carnival Queen Committee; candidates, Vicky Brown, Debbie Bolen, Janis Kennagh, Beth Andrews and Anita Young, and William Cousins.

PLANNING BOARD HEARING ON ZONING ORDINANCE HAS SMALL ATTENDANCE

Due possibly to poor weather conditions, there was a small attendance at the public hearing held by the Bethel Planning Board Monday evening at Odeon Hall. Those present heard an explanation of the proposed ordinance by Lew Lubka of the James Sewall Co., Old Town. The Old Town firm prepared the ordinance as part of their project to prepare a comprehensive plan for Bethel.

Taking into consideration the views of those present, the Planning Board, it is understood, may make changes in zones, etc., before it is submitted for action at the March 6 town meeting. If the new code is adopted it will supercede the present law originally approved in September of 1958.

Copies of the proposed ordinance are available at the Selectmen's Office and a map of the proposed zones may be seen at the same location.

The new town manager, Elwyn Dickey, and family, are living temporarily on Mason Street in the former Meserve house.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson and Kathy of Bailey's Island were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ranald Stevens.

Allen Walker spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Walker. Allen is a student at Gorham State College.

Rev. and Mrs. Milton Gross and daughter returned home the last of the week after having been in Pennsylvania for two weeks

IN AND ABOUT BETHEL

Leslie Lapham is ill at his home in Northwest Bethel.

Walter Woodford is working for the State at the present time.

Mrs. Rena Abbott is visiting with Mrs. Hall at Rumford Point.

The schools in town are closed this week for mid-winter recess.

Guy Parker Jr. of Stafford, Conn., was at home for the week end.

Miss Frances Carter of Middle Intervale is a patient at Rumford hospital.

Mrs. Hilda Donahue is at her home this week from Massachusetts for a few days.

The Pilgrim Fellowship sliding party was called off Monday because of bad weather.

Mrs. Wallace Coolidge was a patient at the Rumford hospital, but is at her home now.

Jim Perkins spent a few days this week as guest of Larry Smith of Northwest Bethel.

Harry John Buswell suffered a broken ankle while at the Sunday River Skiway, Saturday.

Mrs. Richard Davis returned home from the St. Louis Hospital, Berlin, N. H., last week.

Ernest Perkins went to Rumford Monday night to a Boy Scout Commissioners' meeting at Norris Baker's home.

Guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. William Cousins are Mr. and Mrs. David Lenti and daughter of Southbridge, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph D. Brooks Jr. and family of Prince Point, Yarmouth, have one of the new Thurston apartments and are spending the week there while skiing at Sunday River.

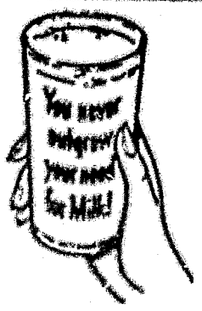
SNOWMOBILE PARADE
ON MAIN ST. IN BETHEL
2 P. M. SUNDAY, FEB. 26
All machines gather on Vernon St., across from Arlan Jodrey's residence at 1 o'clock.
Sponsored by
The Bethel Snow Twisters
and the Greater Bethel
Chamber of Commerce

GAME PARTY
Legion Hall — Locke Mills
Every Friday—7:30 p. m.
JACKSON-SILVER POST

American Legion
GAME NIGHT
Legion Rooms — Bethel
Every Thursday Evening
7:30 o'clock

SNOW BALL CABARET TO BE HELD THIS SATURDAY EVENING

The Snow Ball Cabaret sponsored by the Trustees of Bethel Lodge A. F. & A. M. will be held Saturday evening at the William Bingham Gymnasium at 8 p. m. Tickets are still available from ticket chairman, Eleanor Brooks. General chairman of the affair is Harold Rolfe; check room, Norris Brown, food, Margaret Baker; decorations, Madelyn Hunt and Eleanor Brooks. Live music and free refreshments as well as entirely white decorations in the snow motif will all add to making the evening thrilling and entertaining for all.



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For Reservations Call Mrs. Don Brooks, Bethel 824-2670
Tickets will be available up to February 25 and can be picked up from Mrs. Brooks
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Bethel Winter Carnival
MARCH 3-4-5
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ALBANY HUNTS CORNER AND VICINITY

— Mrs. Harian Bumpus, Cor. —

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gould of East Providence, Rhode Island, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Inman and family.

Mrs. Mildred Allen of Fryeburg and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Valentine were Sunday callers of Mrs. Olive Spinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stearns and Mrs. Laura Pinkham were in Bridgton Sunday.

Mrs. Edith Stearns and Mrs. Laura Pinkham attended the meeting of the Senior Citizens at Bethel Tuesday of last week.

Mike Inman spent Friday night with Terry Swan, East Bethel.

Mrs. Barbara Inman and Andy were Friday dinner guests at Hugh Stearns'.

Recent callers at Carlton Rugg's have been Mr. and Mrs. Millard Davis and children of Stowe, and Daniel Davis of East Stoneham.

Mrs. Mildred Pope of Norway and Mr. and Mrs. Austin Watson of Rhode Island were Saturday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Inman.

NECESSARILY BEST TEACHER SAYS SAFETY COMMITTEE

Experience is not the best Teacher. Many motorists involved in accidents have been driving more than 10 years. Courts have found that a fine or jail sentence does not improve the driver when basic driving knowledge, proper attitude and skills are lacking.

The National Safety Council's Defensive Driving Program offers the Defensive Driving Course to help in the overall accident prevention. The course is divided into four sessions of 2 hours each with liberal use of film and visual aids. It is designed to polish up driving skills which have become rusty through the years and to teach concepts based on social attitudes demanded by modern, high speed driving. The Defensive Driving Course is being conducted by local groups in every state. For information contact the Maine Highway Safety Committee, State House, Augusta, Maine.

These girls sought the title of Winter Carnival Queen at Thomas College in Waterville last week end. Left to right are Sally LeVasseur, St. Albans; Janice Durette, Waterville; Linda Bickford, Oakland; Faye Chase, East Corinth; Louann Brown, Bethel; Lynne Grady, Farmingdale; Patricia Weed, Camden. Eleanor J. Bosworth of Harrison was also a candidate.

Rev. Jackson
Bethel Church of the Nazarene

20 SECONDS WITH THE NAZARENE

In the Bible, and particularly in Jesus' spiritual concepts of God and man, all men can find the key to victory, not only one evil system, but in the greater crusade against all falsehood. Mankind, however, appears to come slowly to the realization that Freedom is not won and held solely by material means.

—Admiral Arthur Radford

Gould Winter Carnival Ball Committee — Merton Brown, Bethel, Susan Pollack, Harrison; and chairman Barbara McKnight, Rumford, are working on Carnival Ball decorations which will be on a carnival theme with a "big top" tent overhead, a carousel in center, refreshments served by waiters in clown costumes, cotton candy and balloons—all the color and gaiety of carnival. Carol Floyd, South Portland, is also a member of the decorating committee. The Ball will be held March 11 in Williams Dingham Gymnasium.

SOUTH ALBANY

— Mrs. Ray Wardwell, Corrs. —

Mrs. Bud Horton was in Rumford on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell had supper with Bessie Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wardwell, Jane and Jean Wardwell, Saturday night, celebrating the twins' birthday.

Clarence McAllister called at Wardwells Sunday night.

L. C. Horton Sr. from Manchester, N. H., was a week end guest of his son and wife, Sheriff and Mrs. "Bud" Horton.

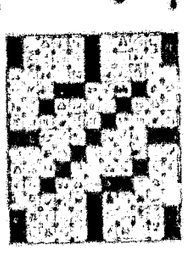
CARD OF THANKS

To the Bethel Evening Extension, Forest Rebekah Lodge, and all my good friends, neighbors and relatives, a sincere thanks for the sunshine box, flowers and cards when I was a patient at M. M. C. for 29 days.

Gratefully,
Ira A. Foster
Bethel, Maine

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

LAST WEEKS ANSWER



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29. More poverty-stricken
31. Golf mound
32. Old measures of length
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34. Old Dutch measure
37. Like
38. Japanese nashes
40. Sound, as a streetcar bell
42. Packing box
43. Weird
44. Wrath
45. Ozone
46. Plague

DOWN

1. Gaucho's weapon
2. The whole world
3. Herring
4. Cameoan warriors
5. Half cuts
6. Splashes
7. Wages
8. Turkish gold coin
9. Miss Claire and namesake
10. Hardy heroine
11. Perched
12. Adhesive substances
20. Capitol fellow: abbr.
21. Cheat
23. A root vegetable
24. Hermits
25. English river
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34. High cards
35. Away from shore
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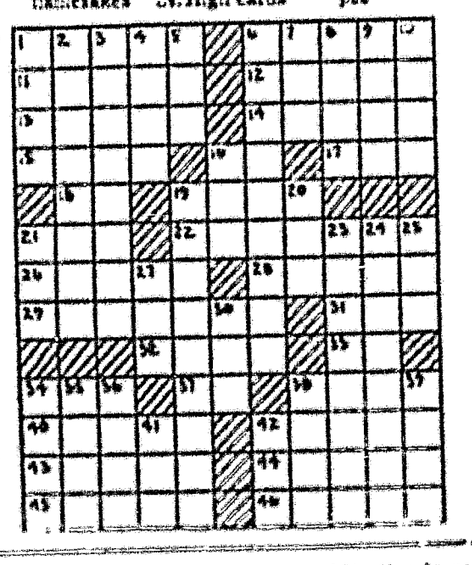
38. French river
39. Wither
41. Pinch
42. Household pet



OXFORD PAPER CO. NAMES CHUTE SUPT. OF WOOD PROCUREMENT

The appointment of Walter W. Chute as Superintendent of Wood Procurement for Oxford Paper Co. has been announced by John L. Hartranft, Jr., General Manager of the Wood Department. Chute is located at Oxford's Rumford mill.

A graduate of Brewer High School in 1942, Chute served three years with the Navy. He majored in Business Administration at Huston College, Bangor, and graduated in 1950.

Chute has been with the Eastern Division of Standard Packaging Corporation in Brewer for 16 years, 15 of them in the Woodlands Department. He gained wide experience in wood procurement and timberland operations and served most recently as Assistant General Manager of Woodlands.

SOIL DISTRICT SPONSORS MEETING ON USE OF SOIL MAPS IN TOWN PLANNING

The supervisors of the Oxford County Soil and Water Conservation District sponsored a meeting recently on the use of soil suitability maps in town planning. The meeting was held at the district office, Masonic Building in South Paris on February 14th. The principal speaker was Lauron Long, Assistant to the State Conservationist of the Soil Conservation Service in Orono.

Mr. Long's presentation included a back ground of some of the effects of poor planning or choice of location in relation to soil types such as erosion, pollution, sewage failures, foundation settling and excessive cost of building on unsuited soils.

The meeting was chaired by Lorone Damon, chairman of the soil conservation district. Those in attendance, in addition to supervisors of the District and several state and federal employees included: Alfred Wallen, Oxford County Economic Development Commission; Arthur Gouin, Economic Opportunity Council; William Chapman, Bethel, chairman of the County Committee of the ASCS, Elwyn Dickey, Bethel town manager, Willis Parsons, Paris town manager; Charles Bourque, Oxford town manager; Alfred Morrill, Sumner selectman; William McDaniels, Waterford selectman, Frank Perham, West Paris selectman, Harrison Burns, Rumford town engineer, Leo J Gagnon, Assessment Administrator, Rumford.

Mr Damon pointed out that any town in Oxford County could obtain on-site information on soil suitability for various land uses through the Oxford County Soil and Water Conservation District.

CARD OF THANKS

Many, many thanks to all my good friends who remembered me with cards, etc., during my short stay at the Rumford Community Hospital.

Lillas Coolidge

CHURCH NEWS

Bethel Methodist Church
Donald F. Hess, Pastor

Sunday schedule:
Church School at 9:15.
Morning Worship and Nursery at 10:30 a. m.
Junior and Senior MYF groups at 5 and 5:30 p. m. respectively on alternating Sundays.
Thursday, March 2: Afternoon and Evening Circle WSCS Meetings.
Sunday, March 5: Winter Carnival services at the ski slopes.
Sunday, March 12: Methodist Hymn Festival at 7 p. m. at the Chestnut St. Methodist Church in Portland. Special music will be presented by a composite choir of choir members of the churches in the Portland District. Dr. Houghton, former director of the Boston University School of Theology Seminary Singers will be the conductor. Two of our choir members will be in the composite choir. If you are interested in traveling in a car pool, we will leave the church at 5:30 p. m. Contact the pastor at 4-2033 if you are interested.
The Junior MYF and interested members of the senior MYF will make this occasion their special meeting and leave with the group at 5:30 also.

HANOVER SOLDIER RECEIVES PROMOTION EARLY

William W. Worcester, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Worcester, Hanover, was promoted to Army private pay grade E-2 upon completion of basic combat training at Ft. Dix, N. J., Feb. 1.

The promotion was awarded two months earlier than is customary under an Army policy providing incentive for outstanding trainees.

As many as half the trainees in each training cycle are eligible for the early promotion, based on scores attained during range firing, high score on the physical combate proficiency test, military bearing and leadership potential.

During advanced individual training, also of eight weeks duration, those who received early advancement to E-2 may be eligible for another "accelerated" promotion, E-3 (private first class).

West Parish Congregational Church
Clifford W. Laws, Minister

Sunday, Feb. 26:
Morning Worship, 10:00 A. M.
Church School, 10:00.
Pilgrim Fellowship, 6:30 p. m.
Wednesday and Thursday are the regular days for the Junior and Senior Choir rehearsals.

Bethel Church of the Nazarene
Rev. Robert W. Jackson, Pastor

The Friendly Church With A Redeeming Message.
Thursday and Friday, Feb. 23-24: Youth Meetings with Rev. Phil Huff at 7:30 p. m.
Saturday, Feb. 25: Teen Bowling at 2 p. m. Youth Meeting with Rev. Phil Huff at 7:30 p. m.
Sunday, February 26:
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. Classes for all ages, including adult.
Morning hour of worship, 11 a. m. Special speaker, Rev. Phil Huff.
Junior, Teen, and Adult Fellowship, 6:15 p. m.
Evening Service, 7 p. m.
Wednesday, March 1: Midweek Prayer Service, 7 p. m.
Thursday, March 2: Ladies Prayer Circle, 7 p. m.

Catholic Services

The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered at 9 a. m. Sundays at Odeon Hall.

The Church of the Open Bible
Milton Gross, Pastor

At the East Bethel Church.
Order of Worship:
Sunday:
9:45 a. m. Sunday School for all ages, even the adultr
11:00 a. m. Morning Service
7:30 p. m. Evening Service—a time of worship, gospel singing and testimonies.
Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., Bible Study, Praise and Prayer time in the home.
Everyone is cordially invited to any and all services

Episcopal Chapel
Christ the King

Odd Fellows Building, Main St., Sundays:
Holy Eucharist, 9:00 a. m.

Christian Science

A Bible Lesson on "Christ Jesus" will be presented at Christian Science churches this Sunday.
The Golden Text is from John: "No man hath seen God at any time; the only begotten Son, which is in the bosom of the Father, he hath declared him."

West Bethel Union Church
Mrs. Beatrice Burris, Pastor
Mrs. Harriet Stowell, Organist

Chapel Aid Society meets 2nd Wednesday of each month at 2 p. m.

Locke Mills Union Church
Mrs. Beatrice Burris, Pastor

Church services, 9:30 a. m.
Mrs. Richard Melville, organist and choir director. Choir rehearsal every Wednesday at 6:30 p. m.

Bryant Pond Baptist Church
Linwood Hanson, Pastor

9:15, Sunday School.
10:30, Morning Worship Service.
6:30, Young Peoples' Meeting
7:30, Evening Service

Bryant Pond Universalist Church

9:00 a. m. Service of Worship
10:15 a. m. Church School. Adelynn Mann, Supt.
7:00 p. m. Youth Fellowship Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howe, leaders.

Rumford Center Methodist Church
Donald F. Hess, Pastor

Sunday Schedule: Morning Worship at 9:00. Church School at 9:50 a. m.

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HATHAWAY REPORTS

Just a few days ago, on Feb 10, the 25th amendment was added to the U. S. Constitution when Senate and Missouri ratified it to the dismay of the forces rallying it.

The 25th Amendment is to provide guidance on the informal arrangements worked out between President Eisenhower and Vice President Nixon as well as covering Presidents and Vice Presidents in future procedures for it cannot be acknowledged by the President and if it is not, it is unlikely to the Vice President and a majority of the cabinet.

The event which the amendment is designed to cover is the case of illness or disability of the office to notify the Congress. It was prompted by Pres. Eisenhower's illness.

Much time is taken to record state which the amendment leaves the method of transmission. It takes the form of a letter to the president pro tempore of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives. The amendment also provides that the Vice President and a majority of the cabinet may notify the Congress that the President is unable to discharge the powers and duties of his office. Then the Vice President shall assume the powers and duties of the office as Acting President.

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Sen. Muskie Reports

Maine communities should be aware that the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) has set new standards for certification of Workable Programs.

The law, enacted by Congress in 1964, calls for enactment of the new standards by September 2, 1967. To ease the transition, HUD has issued interim standards which will take effect March 2.

The major change concerns housing codes and their enforcement.

I recommend that Maine communities which have questions about the new standards write Mr Judah Gribetz, Regional Administrator, HUD, 34 Broadway New York, New York, 10013, for detailed information.

Briefly, the new standards require communities seeking initial certification of their Workable Programs to have a housing code and to demonstrate that they have or are initiating an interim code compliance program.

Recertification will require that the community show that it has been conducting an effective interim housing code compliance program.

A community's Workable Program must be recertified each year.

A Workable Program is a set of municipal codes or ordinances governing building, plumbing, electrical work, housing and fire prevention.

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THIRD GRADE CLASS HAS BEEN STUDYING TRANSPORTATION

The third grade of Mrs. Maxine Brown at Crescent Park School has been studying "Transportation" in their Social Study work.

The bulletin board work consisted of pictures drawn by the children showing ways of travel in Bethel, pictures of bicycles, and commercial pictures showing progress of travel.

The exhibit on the table consisted of books on travel, scrapbooks made by some of the children and models of various stages and types of travel.

Left to right, in the above picture: David Hunt, Bobby Brown, Joe Westleigh, Judy Wheeler and Betsy Smith.

Gould Academy Students Attend N. E. Conference — Ned Robertson (right), Bethel, and Peter Howard (left), Orrington, attended the New England Student Government Association Conference Feb. 18-19 at Phillips Academy, in Andover, Mass., as representatives of the Gould Student Activity Council.

BETHEL LIBRARY NEWS

Carolyn Brooks brought in a large box of books from her library. Because of this, many of our old and soiled significant books have been replaced by clean ones, which many people will appreciate.

New Books—Adult:

"Madame Sarah," by Cornelia Otis Skinner. This is a biography of Sarah Bernhardt.

"I'm A Lucky One," by Sgt. Barry Sadler. Sgt. Sadler was wounded in Viet Nam, to be told by his doctor that he was one of the Lucky Ones. He wrote "The Green Berets."

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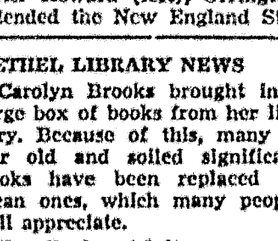

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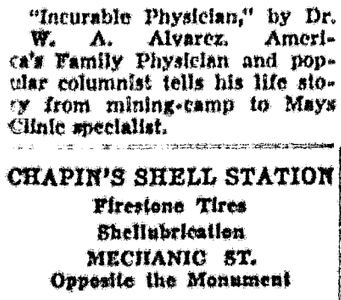

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EAST STONEHAM

— Gladys Kilgore, Corres. —

Mrs. Stanwood Nelson is having her living room redecorated in birch paneling. Nate Smith is doing the work.

The children and teachers are enjoying a week of vacation.

Mrs. Vera McGinnis and Mr. Wescott called on Mrs. Gladys Kilgore Friday.

Several from here attended the shower given to Mrs. Roy Scribner, our minister's wife at North Waterford, Monday evening.

Mrs. Mertice Barker is holding open house for Mrs. Durlend Barker who was recently married.

The Church Get Together was well attended Saturday night. Mr. Scribner showed slides of animal life, which were most interesting.

W. S. C. S. MEETING

The executive committee met at the home of Mrs. Robert Gordon Feb. 15th.

The General meeting of the W. S. C. S. was at the home of Mrs. Ernest Perkins. There were 13 members present. Mrs. Robert Gordon opened the business with a prayer. After the business meeting, Mrs. Seymour Butters presented a very interesting program in which several others took part.

The title of the program was Christian and Hindu, Muslim and Buddhist Religions.

The afternoon circle will meet March 2nd at 2 p. m. at the home of Leona Flint, subject to change.

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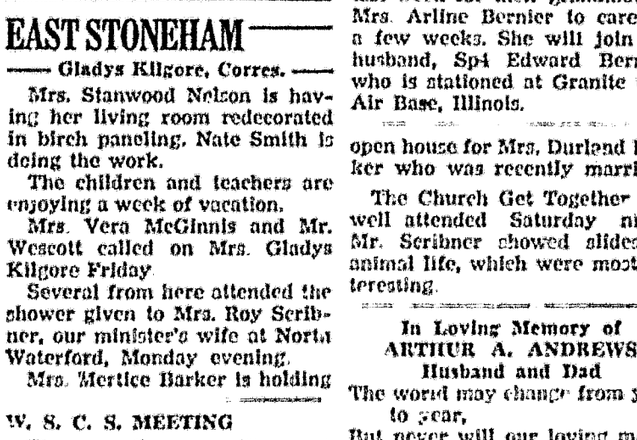

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UPTON

— Mrs. C. A. Judkins, Corres. —

Cindy McLeod of Errol, N. H., was overnight guest of Melody Goodrum Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Judkins took a trip Sunday to Acton, Maine to visit friends, calling on the way, on the Hunters in North Fryeburg and on Dr. Barnes and family in Hiram.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williamson are living at his mother's place in Sunday River for a while.

Word was received by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Judkins that their son, Fred II, came in 1st place for U. of M., Orono, in the track meet with Boston last Saturday.

We seem to be having plenty of Old fashioned February weather this month, sandwiched in with a few beautiful warm, sunshiny days, which are greatly welcomed.

Most of the schools in this area are having vacations this week.

Emile Bernier visited Harry Brooks in Newry a few days over the week end. When he returned home Tuesday this week, Harry came with him for a few days visit here.

Mrs. Edward Bernier of Vermont brought her two boys here last week for their grandmother, Mrs. Arline Bernier to care for a few weeks. She will join her husband, Sp4 Edward Bernier, who is stationed at Granite City Air Base, Illinois.

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WEST PARIS

— Mrs. Roxie Inman, Corres. —

The Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes Good Will Group of the Universalist Church met with Mrs. Myrtle Bonney, Wednesday. Dinner committee was Mrs. Clara Gordon. Members worked on articles for the spring sale.

The Cub Scouts and Den Mothers held a bowling party at Norway, Wednesday morning.

The Adult Discussion Group of the Universalist Church met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Clements. Topic, Indian Affairs.

A public benefit supper for the Richard Baker family who lost their home and furnishings and place of business by fire last week, will be held at the Goodwill Hall, Friday at 5:30 p. m. The supper sponsored by the Universalist Church, will consist of baked beans, casseroles, salads, hot rolls, dessert, coffee.

Cub Scouts, Pack 132, will meet at Harold Perham's on High St., Sunday at 2 p. m. for meeting and family outing. Scouts to bring skis, sleds, toboggans, etc. This event will take the place of the regular Pack meeting at the Legion Home.

Eighteen Boy Scouts of Troop 132 accompanied by Scoutmaster Milton Inman and committeemen Everett Chase and Vernon Inman enjoyed a weekend camping trip at Milton Inman's camp in Albany. The group left West Paris Friday at 6:30 p. m. and returned late Sunday afternoon. The last half a mile to camp was made on snowshoes and skis. Each Scout was assigned a special duty while at camp, with Star Scout Timmy Poland, Patrol Leader in charge of the duty list. Skiing, snowshoeing, sliding, tobogganing jumping and ice fishing were enjoyed. On Sunday morning a worship service was held. Phelps Poland, committeeman joined them on Sunday.

Jerry Ellingwood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Ellingwood, has completed his basic training at Fort Dix and is now in Kentucky. He would like to receive letters. His address is as follows: Pvt. Jerry Ellingwood NG21198114, Co. F, 2nd Bn. 1st TRBDE, 2nd Plt., ASATC Armor, Fort Knox, Kentucky 40121.

At the Finnish Congregational Church Sunday Bilingual Winter Festival (Talvi Juhla) was held. Rev. Felix Mayblom presented the Finnish message, and Carl Ahonen of Mechanic Falls the English message. A casserole dinner was served in the church dining room, following the service.

Mrs. Phyllis Lowe received word of her son, Allen's, promotion to Specialist Fourth Class. Lowe is on a tour of duty with the U. S. Army in Pirmasens, Germany.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Buck during the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Beleskis, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Millett, Vicki, and Andrea, Lewiston.

Clarence Curtis, Monroe, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Watson.

Miss Dorene Proctor is spending her vacation with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bessey, Livermore Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Inman and family accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Elsie Pilrainen are spending several days in Massachusetts visiting relatives.

Miss Cathy Ring is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Bessie Fuller, Welchville.

Joseph Perham was guest speaker at the Universalist Church. Special music was furnished by Mr. Perham.

Harold C. Perham is proudly announcing the birth of his 26th grandchild, Douglas Alan, born Feb. 13 to Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Perham, Cherry Hill, N. J.

S-Sgt. and Mrs. Herschel McLaughlin are the parents of a daughter, Debbie, born in Japan, Feb. 11. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Merlyn McLaughlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias McKeen are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, born Feb. 13 at the Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway. Paternal grandmother is Mrs. Impi McKeen.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Baker and family are living at their farm on Greenwood Street.

Schools have recessed for a week's vacation.

Miss Mary Ann Briggs, daughter of Mrs. Eleanor Briggs, a senior at Northfield School for Girls, Northfield, Mass., has been accepted as a Chemistry major at Northeastern University, Boston.

Mrs. Doris Lawrence is a surgical patient at the St. Mary's Hospital, Lewiston.

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SUNDAY RIVER

— Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Corres. —

Mrs. Lina Reynolds and granddaughter, Sharon Daye called on Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Fleet Friday afternoon.

Mrs. R. M. Fleet attended the extension meeting on Indoor Gardening at Bertha Davis Wednesday afternoon.

Penny Fleet had to go to the doctors with her bad cold. She is gaining.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Morrison and children of Concord, Mass, were at the Morrison cottage at Ketchum and doing a bit of skiing over the week end.

We hope it warms up as the school children have a week of vacation and would enjoy playing in the snow.

SKILLINGSTON

— Mrs. Ola Tifft, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Haines were in Lewiston Monday where they picked up Irene Haines who had spent the week end as guest of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. William Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Smith from Salem, N. H., were in town on Monday, returning to their home Monday evening.

Mrs. Ruel Swain and her mother, Mrs. J. L. Witter, were in Norway Thursday of last week.

Much excitement was aroused in the neighborhood Saturday when the former Hattie Vail house was burned by the present owners preparatory to erecting a new residence there in the spring.

Gilbert Haines was in Lewiston Saturday where he had five teeth extracted. In the extraction a piece of 22 caliber bullet was located under one of the teeth from a hunting accident thirteen years ago last fall.

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LOCKE MILLS

—— Mrs. John Mills, Corres. ——

There will be no P. T. C. meetings until further notice.

Ellas (Tom) Roberts who is a patient at the Andrews' nursing home, South Paris, will celebrate his birthday next Sunday, Feb. 26. Cards would be appreciated.

The community was saddened to hear of the sudden death of Mrs. Anna Coolidge Sunday morning at her home here. Sincere sympathy is extended to all members of her family.

Harry Swift, who was 65, Tuesday, Feb. 21, was given a surprise open house, Sunday, in honor of his birthday. The affair was planned and hostessed by his three daughters, Mrs. George Stowell, West Bethel, Mrs Henry Bowers, Locke Mills, and Mrs George Biden, Carthage. A son, W. Rodney Swift, of Hawthorn, N. Y., was unable to be present but called during the afternoon. Refreshments of coffee, punch, cookies and birthday cake were served to about 70 guests.

Herbie Bing was an overnight guest of Dana Melville on Monday.

There was a good attendance at the dance Saturday evening sponsored by the Ski Club.

Visitors during the week end of Mr. and Mrs. George Flanders and Mrs. Ella Jordan were Mr. and Mrs. Ansel Jordan and Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Brown Jr.

Mr. and Mrs Robert DeNormandie and family of Norwood, Mass., are visiting his parents, Mr and Mrs. Everett DeNormandie this week and are spending some time skiing at Mt. Abram.

Mrs. Celestine Swan, Ralph and Marcia Mills, were in Norway, Tuesday.

Sunday visitors at Lester Cole's were Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Jordan and Mr. and Mrs. Mark Mills.

Mrs Howena Dunham was the guest of honor at a birthday celebration Monday at the home of her brother, Merle Bing, Bryant Pond. Those present were Mr. and Mrs Peter Dragoon, West Peru, Mr. and Mrs. James Foster, Bryant Pond, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Bing and Ted, and the honor guest.

Leland Fox returned to Pinehurst Wednesday after spending a few days visiting the Harold Churchills.

Mr and Mrs Erwin Lary and Peggy South Paris, were visitors Sunday at the Willard Farewells.

Phyllis Hasey of Bryant Pond and Charlotte Cole visited Mr and Mrs Donald Bennett and Mrs Edith Abbott Sunday afternoon and enjoyed their home with music.

Miss Linda Swan, South Paris was a visitor of her grandparents, Mr and Mrs Carlton Bonham this week.

The Ladies Circle held its regular meeting Wednesday, Feb 15 at Mrs Ruth Littlefield's. The circle was pleased to see Mrs May Andrews, who has spent many weeks convalescing from illness, back among them again. They also welcomed a new member, Mrs William Roberts. At the business meeting it was announced that Ken and Barbara Wakefield had thoughtfully donated a refrigerator for the new church kitchen. After the business meeting Mrs Littlefield served refreshments to the 14 members present and a social hour was enjoyed.

Mr and Mrs Jerry Johnson and son of Bethel visited Mrs Marion Gillette Sunday afternoon.

Mrs Nellie Ford was a Sunday caller at the home of her son, Richard Ford, and family. Mrs Ford is working at the home of Marion Andrews and Ernest Cole to help out and came and went that day for visit.

The Oxford County Council of the American Legion met at the Locke Mills Town Hall, Tuesday, Feb 21 at 8:00 P.M. to do business meeting. A supper was served by the auxiliary to the 50 members present. The supper was made up by the auxiliary. Marion Gillette Award was presented to Bill Cooper, Bethel, at a Legion meeting and a certificate for 100 per cent membership. Two first prize awards, one for a gallon can of peaches and one for a gallon can of fruit cocktail were given by Ruth's to the district committee. A social hour followed the business meeting.

After being elected the 4th and last meeting last Thursday of the year, Mrs. Edna Bennett, Bethel, a member of the Locke Mills Grange, will be unable to serve. Mrs. Marion Gillette, Locke Mills, Harry Swan of Locke Mills, Mrs. Hattie Swan of Locke Mills, Mrs. Ruth Littlefield, Locke Mills, Mrs. Ruth Bennett, Bethel, Mrs. Ruth Bennett, Bethel, Mrs. Ruth Bennett, Bethel

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BETHEL BUDGET

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the ledger ten accounts received a larger recommendation than a year ago. Also two new accounts, Hospitalization Insurance for Town Employees, and the Oxford County Mental Health Association, received recommendations of $650 and $325, respectively.

Of the ten areas showing an increase, the allotment for SAD 44 shows $25,972 more than a year ago together with increases in the following accounts: Town Officers, $1,500; Police, $2,120; Fire Department, $500; Public Liability Insurance, $150; Winter Roads, $2,500; State Aid Road, $204; Town Welfare, $1,000; and the Bethel Library, $500.

The Committee also favored the formation of a Bethel Water District to acquire the Bethel Water Co.

Members of the Budget Committee are: Robert D. Hastings, chairman; Sumner Burgess, Richard Stevens, William Cousins, Charles Keoskie, Samuel Timberlake, Andrew Boyd, Richard Waldron, Richard Davis, Donald Stecher, John Frankevicz and Bruce Bailey.

INVITATIONAL SKI JUMPING AT BERLIN THIS WEEK END

More than 75 top American and Scandinavian jumpers will compete in the Nansen Invitational Ski Jumping event to be held in Berlin, N. H., Feb. 25-26.

The main jumping event will take place Sunday, Feb. 26, at the 180 foot high Berlin Ski Jump, the highest steel structure jump in the U. S.

Participating in the event from the University of Denver are: Steinar Sjeldhein, a class A jumper who is rated as the best jumper in the country. He is an exchange student from Norway. Randy Garretson, an outstanding jumper who is presently on the U. S. Jumping Squad. George Krog, another top flight jumper.

The University of Utah is sending Class A jumpers Bjlon Loken and Matz Jenson. Loken placed second and Jenson was third in the Steamboat Springs, Colo., event last week with jumps of 265 and 280 feet. They are rated as the outstanding jumpers of the West.

Casnan College is sending Roger Dion, a top Eastern jumper and Gregg Cunningham and Dana Zelenahkas, both up and coming jumpers.

Representing Dartmouth will be Bill Catlin, Jim Speck and Larry Gillis.

St. Lawrence University is sending John Green, Dave Pope and Buddy Fisher.

From the U. of N. H. will be Robert Lincoln, Charles Chandler and Steve Davis.

Representing the University of Maine will be John Howe, a class B jumper.

The Nansen Ski Club of Berlin, the oldest ski club in the country, will be represented by Robert Rasmussen, Larry Hodgman, Stanley Remington and Robert Remington.

Robert Lamontagne, ski coach at Lebanon High School, will represent the Lebanon, N. H., Outing Club.

Other class A jumpers who will participate in the jumping event are Bruce Jennings of the Wyoming Ski Club, Pete Langlois and Duke Schneider of the Rosendale Nordic Ski Club and Michael Mickerls of the Chisholm Ski Club.

Many other top jumpers from throughout the country will be participating in the jumping event.

Other week end events include hockey, snowmobile exhibition, carnival ball and awards presentation banquet.

More than 5000 spectators are expected to view Sunday's main jumping event at one o'clock at the Berlin Jump.

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Pages from a History Notebook

On February 25, 1863, Congress passed "An act to provide a national currency secured by a pledge of U.S. stocks and to provide for the circulation and redemption thereof." This legislation instituted the national banking system and the office of the Comptroller of the Currency.

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One of the most colorful figures of a colorful period in American history was born February 26, 1846 in a farmhouse in Scott County, Iowa.

William Frederick Cody became a hero to more than a whole generation and an American legendary figure referred to as "Buffalo Bill."

The gold rush days of 1859 brought Cody to Colorado and a job as a Pony Express rider. He was to become an Overland Mail stage coach driver, professional hunter, Army Scout, Indian guide, and, finally, a highly successful showman.

Cody earned his "Buffalo Bill" title as a hunter supplying fresh meat to Kansas Pacific Railroad construction crews. He killed 69 buffalo in one day and 4,862 in one season.

He became an international figure after he organized his "Wild West" show in 1883.

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Henry Wadsworth Longfellow — the poet of the human heart — was born February 27, 1807, in Portland, Maine. Generations of Americans have recognized him as America's greatest poet. Longfellow's words brought eternal fame to the midnight ride of Paul Revere, to the Village Blacksmith, to Hiawatha and laughing Minnehaha, to bashful John Alden and to Evangeline of Acadia.

President Abraham Lincoln, himself capable of moving the minds of men with forceful words, once said of Longfellow: "It is a wonderful gift to be able to stir men like that." Lincoln was making particular reference to his favorite Longfellow quotation: "Sail on, oh ship of state! Sail on, O Union strong and great! Humanity with all its fears, With all the hopes of future years, Is hanging breathlessly on thy fate!"

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Generally, but not always, leap year occurs at four-year intervals. The true astronomical year, however, is 365 days, five hours, 48 minutes and 46 seconds, while the calendar year is an even 365 days. This means that, for each calendar year observed there is a surplus of nearly six hours in the astronomical year. This is absorbed by adding one day to the calendar at four year intervals. But his, then, gives the average calendar year a length of 11 minutes and 14 seconds in excess of the true astronomical year. To make adjustment for this situation, a year which has two ciphers (1600, 2000, etc.) is a leap year only when exactly divisible by 400. Now, do you know when we will next have a leap year?

WET-WEATHER VEHICLE OPERATION TIPS LISTED

Researchers have discovered that in heavy rain or slush, a car's front wheels climb up on a film of liquid and "hydro-plane" at certain speeds. Partial hydroplaning can occur at 30 mph, while at 50 to 60 mph, the tires lose all contact with the road. For excellent reasons, therefore, said Executive Secretary, Peter McKinney, of the Maine Highway Safety Committee, the researchers advise the following:

* Slow down in rain or slush, and leave plenty of "living room" between you and the car ahead. As little as one-tenth of an inch of water can cause front wheels to hydroplane.

* Replace tires when the middle tread wears down to one-eighth of an inch. Worn tires hydroplane at much lower speeds than do deeply treaded ones.

* For rainy or slushy driving, put about one third more air than normal in your tires. High pressure tires cut into the film of liquid and hold the road far better.

* Drive in the "tire wipes" left by cars ahead, and you'll lessen the skidding danger.

* Do not add weight to the trunk. Extra weight in the rear makes a car unstable on a wet road, greatly increasing the skidding danger.

* Remember that hydroplaning or not, it takes you at least three times as much distance to stop on wet roads as it does on dry ones.

The sight of ice-coated roads automatically presses the "caution" button in our minds, concluded McKinney. From now on, the sight of rain-coated roads should do the same. It's a prudent man who keeps both feet on the ground. It's a prudent driver who keeps both front wheels there, too.

IN AND ABOUT BETHEL

A group of young people gathered at Patty Saunders' home on Monday evening for lunch and spent the evening playing games.

Mrs. Roger Foster has returned to her home from the Maine Medical Center after having been a patient there for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Burgess and Peter are in New York this week attending the American Pulpwood Association convention.

Ronnie Johnson was guest of Stevie Carter over the week end. Stevie returned to Bailey's Island with the Johnsons for the week as a guest of Ronnie.

Mrs. Charles Keoskie is spending the week with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wight, at the Pittston Farms Warden Camp, Rockwood.

Bethel students named to the honor roll for the first semester at Southern Maine Vocational Technical Institute, South Portland, include Maynard A. Morgan, high honors, and Paul E. Vachon, both enrolled in the Automotive Technology course.

Mrs. S. S. Greenleaf returned home Wednesday after spending several weeks with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Greenleaf, in North Scituate, R. I. Mr. Greenleaf, Stephen and Nancy, who came with her plan to return to Rhode Island Friday.

GOV. CURTIS SALUTES BOSTON CONFERENCE

Governor Kenneth M. Curtis Wednesday saluted the New England Small Business Subcontracting Conference for March 3 in Boston, in which many Maine industries will participate.

The prime purpose of the Sheraton-Boston conference in the Prudential Center is to accelerate discussion on ways and means of assuring greater sub-contracting opportunity for small business.

"Small business," the Governor wired the conference chairman, "is the keystone of the arch supporting Maine's economy.

"Maine's beginnings were based on the small businesses, such as fishing and farming, and have since spread throughout the spectrum of commercial enterprise.

"It is for these reasons that I salute this conference and those who created it, for they recognize the need for all the New England states to cooperate in every possible way for the betterment of the region."

Commissioner Standish K. Bachman of the State Department of Economic Development said representatives of his department will be present and pointed out that DED's industrial division "is contacting Maine industries in an effort to have as many as possible present."

Frank Musselman, DED's marketing representative, has advised Maine industries that the conference "will give you the answers to many questions relative to small business sub-contracts."

"Now is the time for our Maine industries to be active in Federal programs and get some of our tax dollars back into Maine," he said.

A conference spokesman said about 30 large manufacturing firms in the New England region will have representatives present to counsel small business officials seeking subcontractural opportunities.

Among the speakers will be Administrator Bernard L. Boutin of the Small Business Administration, Washington, U. S. Senator Edward M. Kennedy of Massachusetts and Mayor John F. Collins of Boston.

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WEST BETHEL

— Mrs. Lena Gilbert, Corres. —

Dennis Emery spent Friday night with his mother, Mrs. Myrtle Emery.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Herrick and children visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilmont Herrick at Mechanic Falls on the week end. His sister, Janice, returned home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Perry and son, Barry, of Portland, spent Saturday night at his father's Joseph Perry. Mr. and Mrs. Perry visited her father at Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway, Saturday. Mr. Perry having entered the hospital on Friday.

Mrs. Sherman Herrick's mother, Harold Clough, who is with Mr. Sherman in Viet Nam wrote that he received the box of cookies which she sent him O. K.

Howard Bolfe came home on Saturday from Mare Hills He ca-

EAST BETHEL

— Mrs. David Foster, Corres. —

Friends of Lorrie Brown may write him at the following address: Pfc Lorrie Brown, [illegible] U S A C A C, 1st Bn 5th Brigade, Mass 01433

Lorrie Joel Brown was in Rumford Hospital recently with a virus infection and still has to remain in bed.

Robert Brown was in Rumford Saturday working on a bottle house for the Junior Radio and Model Club.

Mrs. Helen Hill of Worcester, Mass. and Mrs. Robert Brown were at the Country Way Restaurant in Norway Thursday treating friends to the wonderful [illegible] served there.

Mrs. George Gamble and children of Walton, Conn., Mrs. Al [illegible] and children of Pittsfield, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Martin and children of South Berwick were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Martin the week. Al Bandell was here for the week end.

Mrs. Betty Bennett and children, Hazel, Laura, Matthew, Mark and Jacob of Mansfield, Mass. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Boyce this week end.

Mrs. Harry Boyce attended the carnival ball of Woodstock High School at Bryant Pond Friday, where Miss Sharon Boyce was crowned Queen and Michael Boyce was crowned King of the Carnival. Bradley Boyce marched with the Court Jr.

Miss Sue Howe was home over the week end from her studies at Gordon Davis College.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Curtis and Mrs. Fred Martin were in Gilead and Bethel Wednesday.

Mildred and Julie Foran of [illegible] were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Foss a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Maud Durham and daughter of Westbrook, Myron Durham of Hanover, Mrs. Ina Farnham, Miss Raymond Ayers of Andover, Mrs. Carol Bowers of Newry and Mrs. Jessie Perry of Bethel were visitors of Mrs. Maggie Newton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Bean and Mrs. Russell Porter of Rumford called on Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Gardner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vigue of Mexico, Me. and Mrs. Roy Brown of East Livermore were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Bradbury.

Miss Kim a Hancock and [illegible] were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Bancroft and Mark Bancroft.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hutter of Roy were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Glass.

Mrs. Helen of New Haven, Conn., Philip Gerrish and Homer Farnsworth of Bethel Hill were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Maud Gerrish.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Chapin of Rumford Center called on Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Foster Sunday on their way to visit Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harmon in South Waterford for a couple of days.

There will be an installation meeting at the Grand Home for members of Alpha Rebekah Degree on Thursday, Feb. 23, at 8 p. m. Dorothy Waite Hamlin will be present to give instructions. As many as possible please come.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my heartfelt appreciation to my friends and to others whose thoughtful care made the celebration of my birthday most enjoyable.

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expects to return on Thursday of this week. He said it was —41° when he left Monday morning.

Jonathan Stowell is now at Ft. Knox, Ky., where he is attending school for a four weeks course in typing.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit McAuley of Dixfield visited Mrs. Edna Newton, Sunday.

Mrs. John Heath and children of Marblehead, Mass., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Knowland, this week.

Miss Linda Burris visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Burris Saturday returning to Boston Sunday moning.

Mrs. Dennis Emery and two children of Fryeburg came Sunday to spend a few days with Mrs. Myrtle Emery.

Joseph Perry remains about the same at this writing.

Wallace Hibbard is gaining and is now able to do a few chores around his home. His son, Major Merle Hibbard, was a recent visitor at his parents.

Mrs. Lura Westleigh is reported to be in very good health this winter. She expects to return to her home in West Bethel when the weather gets warmer. She is spending the winter in West Minot.

Mrs. Edna Newton has recovered from her recent illness and is able to be out again.

SOUTH WOODSTOCK

— Mrs. Olive Davis, Corres. —

School closed Friday the 17th for a week's vacation.

Rebecca Andrews visited friends at Kezar Falls this week end, returning home Sunday.

We are sorry to know of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Baker's loss in the fire at Trap Corner. But glad he plans to rebuild and carry on as before as soon as possible.

Mrs. Susan Hill and family are visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lenwood Andrews, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Baker and family returned to their farm on Greenwood Street Sunday evening. They have been staying with Mr. and Mrs. Emery Ryerson since the fire.

Callers at Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Bean's Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bryant, Philip House and Evelyn Barnett.

Union School Notes

Prize speaking was held in the third and fourth grades last week, Friday forenoon. We were very pleased to have our supervisor, Ralph Ryder, Wayne Hutchins, the grade principal at the center school, and Esther Davis of South Woodstock as our judges.

Two pieces for the third grade were as follows: If I Meet a Fairy, Deborah Dugay; I Saw a Ship A-Sailing, Peter Emmons; The Arrow and the Song, Noland Martin; A Boy and His Stomach, Wayne Barker; Mother's Fool, Dennis Farrow; My Shadow, Peggy Little; A Lazy Wish, Kathy Morgan; The Way of the World, Tamara Mills; Recipe, Kevin Mills; The Tempest, Irene Howe; A Friend in the Garden, Jeffrey Little; Little Boy Blue, Susan McKeen; Winter Morning, Sandra Gammon; The Quarrel, Alan Seames; Moo Cow Moo, Leilani Poland; Lion's Eye, Richard Crotau; Owl and the Pussy Cat, Mark Thurlow; Shadow Kitten, Terry Martin; Mr. Finney's Turnip, Kellie Wing; The Duck, Sherry Roberts, In Your Own Back Yard, William Coffin, A Goblinade, Tena Linsbeck.

Prizes were awarded as follows: 1st, Leilani Poland; 2nd, Wayne Barker; 3rd, Mark Thurlow; 4th, Tena Linsbeck.

The speakers in the fourth grade receiving awards were Pamela Strout, 1st; 2nd, Deborah Pinkham; 3rd, Joy Cushman; 4th, Tracy Poland. Sorry, but I haven't the program for the 4th grade at this writing.

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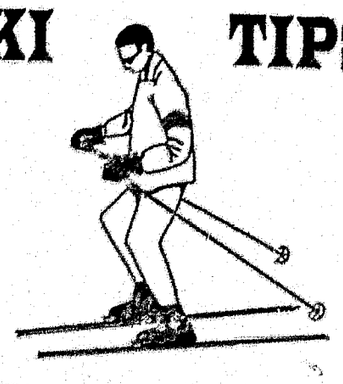

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STEM TURN

By Ace Manley
Director, Big Bromley Ski School

A stem turn is just a modified snowplow turn. Its main use is to link a traverse in one direction with a traverse lower down the hill in the other direction. As part of the American technique, the stem turn is designed to get the skier accustomed to coming from a traverse into what is really a snowplow turn.

From the traverse position (with skis parallel), the uphill ski is stemmed or lifted slightly and placed uphill, which puts the skis into an open or snowplow position. The downhill ski remains on the same track as in the traverse position, but will stem as the turn approaches the fall line.

The skier's weight is gradually shifted to the stemmed ski. With the upper body angled over the weighted ski, the outside or uphill shoulder is dropped slightly back and over the outside or uphill ski, the one pointed in the direction of the turn.

After the fall line is reached, the turn completed, and change of direction made, the skier rises up slightly and allows the skis to run together into the new parallel traverse position.

Next: "Forward Sideslip"

BRYANT POND

Mrs. Kathleen McAllister, Corres.

Miss Jean Wardwell, Northeastern School of Business, Portland, and Miss Jane Wardwell, University of Maine, Orono, were week end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wardwell. Saturday evening, their grandmother, Mrs. Bessie Andrews, entertained at a supper party in honor of their birthday. Their paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell, Albany, were dinner guests.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell McAllister were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Richard, Freddie and Cheryl Ann, of Westbrook. Freddie and Cheryl Ann remained for a week's visit with their grandparents.

The P. T. A. will meet Tuesday evening, Feb. 28, at the Central building at 7:30. The prize speaking finalists of the 3rd and 4th grades will be heard and cash prizes will be awarded. Each member to bring an article for silent auction. Proceeds to go to Scholarship Fund.

Friends of Mrs. Harvey Walker will be interested to learn she is confined in a hospital with a heart attack. Her address is 4643 No. 34th Place, Phoenix, Arizona 85018. Mrs. Walker has been a summer resident in Bryant Pond for many years.

Mrs. Royce Robinson and small son, Norwich, Conn., are spending this week with her stepfather and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Morgan. Mrs. Robinson is the former Miss Gloria Johnson.

A fried clam supper is to be held Sunday, March 5, at the Grange Hall from 4 to 6. The menu will include fried clams, potato chips, homemade rolls, cole slaw, pies and coffee. An advance sale of tickets will be held. The proceeds will go to the Woodstock P. T. A. Scholarship fund. Serving on the committee are Mrs. Charlotte Strout, Mrs. Esther Davis and Mrs. Miriam Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McAllister, East Hartford, Conn., were week end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell McAllister, and attended the Burnham-Jacobs wedding in Buckfield Saturday evening. Other friends attending were Mr. and Mrs. Russell McAllister, Mr. and Mrs. J. Everett Howe, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Howe, Mr. and Mrs. H Stanley Andrews and Mary Ellen, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Bean, Mr. and Mrs. LaForest Twitchell and Mr. and Mrs. Curt Martin.

The Jolly Juniors 4-H Club met at the home of Mrs. Alice Hoyt. The secretary's and treasurer's reports were read and accepted. The treasurer reported a balance of $38.62. A sliding trip was planned to be held at Mrs. Christine Campbell's. Six girls entered the favorite food contest held Feb. 11th and all won blue ribbons. Those who entered were Beth Hoyt, Roberta Croteau, Candy Flynn, Bernice Farnum, Terri Moore and Mary Ellen Waterhouse. The next meeting will be March 14th at Mrs. Hoyt's.

Miss Kaye Ring who is attending the University of Bridgeport, Bridgeport, Conn., spent her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Ring.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. LaForest Twitchell were Mrs. Merle Warner, Portland, and her son, Joel, who is in the United States Marines.

Leroy Smith and children, Christopher and Dianne, Wallingford, Conn., were week end guests of Mrs. Rupert Farnum and Mrs. Fannie Cummings. Christopher and Dianne stayed for the week of their vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bear, Fairfield, Conn., are the guests of her mother, Mrs. Clarence Cole.

There were eleven present at the Woodstock branch of Extension Service meeting held at the home of Mrs. Russell McAllister. A dinner with Swedish dishes was enjoyed. A first year leadership serving training class was discussed. Mrs. Irene Mills is to contact the PTA concerning a safety and defensive driving course. The next meeting will be at Mrs. Irene Mills with Mrs. Kathleen McAllister in charge of the program, the subject Food Additives. Mrs. Miriam McAllister was in charge of an interesting program on Sweden.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Blanche Mann wishes to express their sincere thanks to relatives, friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown to us during our recent bereavement. Our very special thanks to Rev. Lello, Mr. Andrews and Mrs. Coburn.

Mr. and Mrs Albert Raymond and family
Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gauthier and family
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Mason and family
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parker and family
Mrs. Gloria Bartlett and family

Andover-East Andover

— Mrs. Violet Swain, Corres. —

Mrs. Everett Farrington is confined to her home with a badly infected leg.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith left Feb. 12 for a tour of Texas and a visit to Mexico City. They plan to be away for at least a month.

Bevy White has been confined to her home with the chicken pox. She is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald White.

Mrs. Ross Brown entertained eleven members of the East Andover Community Club at a Valentine meeting on Feb. 14. Reports were read and accepted. It was noted that get-well cards had been sent to Jim Hines, Vivian Barlow, Urfred Tucker, Kenny Jodrey and Dennis Hall; Sympathy card to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hall and a birthday card to Mrs. Lavina Danforth.

A short Sunday School report was given and a letter read from the Taylors, who are missionaries in Viet Nam. It was suggested that the members' birthday money be sent to the Indian Reservation at Flagstaff, Arizona.

It was noted that Lila Farrington, one of the charter members of the club, was confined to her home. Members will take in a hot dish meal each day until Feb. 25.

All monies had not been received, so a final report on the Feb. 8 fish and game supper could not be given.

Meeting adjourned and mystery sisters exchanged Valentine gifts. Refreshments were served. Mrs. Wilbur Chenery will have the March 14 meeting when Easter Plans will be discussed. This meeting will be followed by a hot tasting party.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Terriault have moved to Rumford. She is the former Linda Farrington and lived near the East Andover garage.

Schools have been closed this week for the mid-winter vacation. They reopen on Monday.

Mrs. Stephen Hall and son, Guy, left Friday for their home in Williamsburg, Mass., after visiting with her parents two weeks. Her sisters, Miss Wanita White, a teacher at Lisbon; Miss Marilyn White, Mrs. Freeman Farrington and her four children spent several days there with her this week.

The Ladies Aid of the Congregational Church met with Mrs. Ralph Hewey on Thursday with ten present. It was noted that five members of the Aid had attended the World Day of Prayer at Rumford Point. The next meeting will be on March 16 place to be announced.

Town Reports and SAD 44 reports have been distributed to all taxpayers. The annual meeting will be at 10 A. M., March 4. The following are seeking election. Town Clerk, Mrs. Elsie Dresser; Treasurer, Mrs. Geraldine Marston; Fire Chief, Roger Mills Jr; Selectmen, Harold Falkenham and L. R. Hall Sr. S.A.D. 44 Director, Roderick Sidelinger and Eddie Snyder; Road Commissioner, Clyde Bemis, Learned Porter and David Bodwell.

Pythian Sisters who are working on the Heart Drive in Andover are Mrs. Al Meisner, Mrs. Thomas Learned, Mrs. Earl Meisner, Mrs. Freeman Farrington, Mrs. Ira Bodwell, Mrs. Howard Marston, Mrs. Eugene Merrill, Mrs. Raymond Akers, Mrs. Archer Poor Jr., Mrs. Bernard Hutchins, Mrs. Waldo Peaslee, Mrs. Waldo Merrill, Mrs. Elton Coolidge, Mrs. George Meisner, Mrs. Lester Farrington, Mrs. Herschal Hall, Mrs. Howard Dunning and Mrs. Lee Falkenham.

The Andover Women's Club met with Mrs. Elton Coolidge on Feb. 14 with 13 present. Voted to purchase, for resale, school record books. Mrs. Warren Percival and Mrs. Allyn Emens had charge of the entertainment and the refreshments for the evening. The March 14 meeting will be at the home of Mrs. William Swan.

Queen Candidates for the Pineland Winter Carnival on March 11 - 12 are Miss Cynthia Bell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bell and Miss Ann Morton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Morton Jr.

Invitations have been sent out by the Girl Scout Troop 533 for their tea to be held on Sunday afternoon at 2:00 P. M. at the East Andover Schoolhouse.

Mr. and Mrs. William Helm Jr. and family, Brooks, were week end guests of relatives in town. Mrs. Helm is the former Edith Hall.

Mrs. Leonard Entin and two daughters, Wayland, Mass., arrived on Sunday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Swain. Mr. Entin planned to arrive later in the week.

Cynthia Bell and Helen Glover spent the vacation week at the Balsams employed as waitresses.

CRESCENT PARK SCHOOL BASKETBALL TEAM — Back row, left to right: Rollie York, Craig Davis, Paul Durgin, David Keniston, Danny Vogt, Greg Bryant, Greg Cummings. Front row, left to right: Ronald Jackson, Ronald Deegan, Roger Jackson, Dean Murphy, John Trinward.

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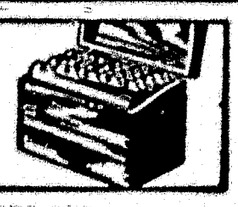

10 YEARS AGO

John P. Howe was elected director of Northwest Wood Products Clinic for two years. Mr. and Mrs. Howe had moved from Bethel to Idaho in August. He had been employed by P. H. Chadbourne & Co. for 10 years.

The "Beehes" on Christian Ridge in Paris, known as the Old Sanatorium, were torn down. They were the property of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Kennedy of West Paris.

Waterford held its 20th Winter Carnival on Feb. 22. The carnival was sponsored by the Crooked River Outing Club.

Deaths: Miss Lucy Fox, Mrs. Harry T. Gawlin.

20 YEARS AGO

Gould Academy placed sixth in the New England Championship ski meet at Lyndonville, Vt.

Death: Mrs. Ada Sanborn Power.

ARCHIE YOUNG, SR.

Archie Young, Sr., died unexpectedly Thursday, Feb. 16, 1967, at his home on Elm Street, Bethel.

He was born at Sherbrook, Que., April 2, 1902, son of Louis and Mary Poole Young. Mr. Young had been employed at Gould Academy, Stowell-McGregor Dowel Co., and Hanover Dowel Co. At the time of his death he was employed at Newton-Tebbets Inc., West Bethel. He was married to the former Ruth Lunton, Bethel.

Survivors include his widow, two sons, Archie Jr., Newry, and Theodore, North Berwick, a brother, William, Bethel; two sisters, Mrs. Maude Danforth, Portland, and Mrs. Marguerelitza Spinney, Bethel, and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at the Greenleaf funeral home, Rev. Clifford Lane officiating. Burial will be in the spring.

MRS. ANNA B. COOLIDGE

Mrs. Anna B. Coolidge died unexpectedly early Sunday, Feb. 19, 1967, at her home in Locke Mills after a short illness.

She was born at Port-Au-Port, Newfoundland, Jan. 15, 1894, daughter of Dennis and Mary Jane Companion Benoit. Mrs. Coolidge came to Maine from Newfoundland in 1910, and on Jan. 11, 1920, was married to Arthur Coolidge. Mr. Coolidge died on Oct. 31, 1957. Mrs. Coolidge was employed for many years at the Elco-Tenbets factory, retiring in 1959. She was a member of St. Athanasius Church, Rumford.

Surviving are four daughters, Mrs. Margaret Merrill, Mrs. Theresa Martin, Mrs. Annita Packard and Mrs. Constance Blanchard, all of Locke Mills; three sons, Wilfred, Bethel, Calvin, Ellington, Pa., and Robert, South Paris, 27 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; a brother, Patrick Companion, and a sister, Mrs. Teresa Lee, both of Newfoundland.

High Mass of requiem was held at St. Athanasius Church, Rumford Tuesday morning. Burial at Norway Pine Grove Cemetery in the spring.

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20 YEARS AGO

Bethel Townsend Club was meeting with good attendance.

Twenty young people of the Epworth League were guests of the Young People's Society at Newry Corner for a Valentine social.

40 YEARS AGO

Bethel Inn was entertaining a large number of guests who were enjoying the winter sports.

Dixville Notch was opened for automobile traffic by a 14-ton Caterpillar tractor.

Irving Hemingway of Kokadjo was an overnight guest in Skillington. He was traveling by dog-team to visit relatives in Winsor, Vt.

Death: Mrs. Mary Adelaide Mason.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY TO MEET NEXT TUESDAY AT BETHEL LIBRARY

The Bethel Historical Society will meet in Bethel Library Tuesday, February 28, at 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Edith Howe will report on the various milliners and hatters of this area. Dale Thurston will be in charge of the meeting. All persons interested in the people and customs of olden times are cordially invited to join the group which meets regularly the fourth Tuesday of each month.

AMBROSE W. BROOKS

Ambrose W. Brooks of the North Road, Conway, N. H., a relative of several residents, died Saturday, Feb. 18, 1967, at the Memorial Hospital at North Conway after a long illness.

Born at Yarmouth, he was the son of Dalphon and Ellis Brooks, and had been a resident of Conway for 55 years. Mr. Brooks was a sheet metal worker and a member of the Knights of Pythias.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Alberta Warren Brooks; two sons, Ambrose Jr. of Reed's Ferry, N. H.; and David of Paramus, N. J.; his father of Mechanic Falls, three brothers, Victor Brooks of Bryant Pond, and Irving Brooks and Earl Brooks, both of East Bethel; a sister, Mrs. Ruth Richardson of Lewiston, and several grandchildren.

MRS. BESSIE LEARNED

Mrs. Bessie S. Learned died Monday, Feb. 20, 1967, at the Cozy Inn nursing home, Rumford.

She was born at Newry, April 10, 1877, daughter of John and Esther Smith Searle. She graduated from Gould Academy and was a school teacher for many years in Maine and New Hampshire. She was married to the late Henry Learned at Bethel in 1907.

Survivors include a son, George, Newry; two daughters, Mrs. Marlin Thurston, Rumford, and Mrs. Eleanor Pugliese, South Portland, eight grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Services were held Wednesday afternoon at the Greenleaf funeral home with the Rev. Clifford Lane officiating. Burial in the spring at the Powers Cemetery, Newry.

BORN

In Rumford, Feb. 13, to Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Perham (formerly of West Paris) of Cherry Hill, N. J., a son, Douglas Alan.

In Norway, Feb. 13, to Mr. and Mrs. Elias McKern of West Paris, a daughter.

In Japan, Feb. 11, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Herschel McLaughlin (of West Paris), a daughter, Debbie.

DIED

In Locke Mills, Feb. 19, Mrs. Anna B. Coolidge, aged 73 years.

In Bethel, Feb. 16, Archie Young, Sr., aged 84 years.

In North Conway, N. H., Feb. 18, Ambrose W. Brooks, aged 89 years.

In Rumford, Feb. 20, Mrs. Bessie S. Learned of Newry, aged 89 years.

In Berlin, N. H., Feb. 21, Miss Grace Wilson of Shelburne, N. H., aged 87 years.

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CLOSED SUNDAYS

The Week in Oxford County

Oxford County Rural Mail Carriers and Auxiliary held their annual meeting Sunday at the Country Way Restaurant, South Paris. Members of the Androscoggin Mail Carriers and Auxiliary were guests. Supper was served at 6:30. State President Crawford Carter was present. New officers of the Oxford county group are Ashley Saunders, Hebron, president; Omer Richards, West Peru, vice president; Frank Campbell, Canton, secretary-treasurer; Paul Wardsworth, Hiram, chaplain. New officers of the auxiliary elected were: Helen Adams, Buckfield, president; Eleanor Saunders, Hebron, vice president; Gwen Campbell, Canton, secretary-treasurer; Ada Wardsworth, Hiram, chaplain; Juanita Allen, Bryant Pond, executive commander.

A 39-year-old Rumford man, Rudolph J. Prevost, was killed Feb. 17 in an automobile accident on Route 108 in Rumford. Officials said the car flipped on its side, skidded and burst into flames. Mr. Prevost is survived by his widow, the former Theresa Deroche of Mexico, and three sons, David, Douglas, and Donald. He was employed at the Oxford Paper Co.

More than 50 students were enrolled in the Adult Study Program of the Ellis School, Rumford, for its first class at the Rumford Junior High School last week. Courses are now being planned for the fall semester starting in September.

The North Fryeburg Satellites 4 H Club has reorganized. The club has been inactive for the past six years. The first meeting was held Feb. 14. The next meeting will be March 7 at 7 p. m. at the Sadie F. Adams School.

Mrs. Maxine Cobb, 31, of West Sumner, was sentenced in Oxford Superior Court by Justice Alton F. Leasard to serve an indefinite term in the Womens' Reformatory in Skowhegan. Mrs. Cobb and her 14-year-old daughter, were apprehended by State Police in January on charges of taking an automobile after ejecting two men from the vehicle. Charges against the girl were dropped by the county attorney's office.

Joyce Louise Rich of South Paris was one of twelve girls graduated Friday from the Portland, Maine, School of Practical Nursing. Exercises were held in the Butler School Auditorium.

SONGO POND

— Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres. —

Miss Melinda Held of Gould Academy is spending this week as a guest of Sylvia Kimball.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Sylvia, and Melinda Held, spent Sunday with friends at Middle Dam, Andover.

MAGALLOWAY

— Mrs. Bessie Harvey, Cor. —

All the nearby schools are having a 10 day vacation.

Ewen Cameron is not in very good health at present.

Glentwood Bennett of Oquossoc visited his aunt, Mrs. Mabel Cameron, Tuesday.

Leon Bennett is quite ill, has been for some time.

The weather has been terrible for over a week with temperatures from zero to 25 below.

LeRoy Olson called on Mrs. Mabel Cameron, Sunday.

Mrs. Bertha West is in Milan with the Balser family, as the children's mother, Mrs. Florence Balser, has been moved from the St. Louis Hospital in Berlin to the Mary Hitchcock Hospital, in Hanover.

A square dance was held Saturday evening at the Wilson's Mills Town Hall with the proceeds going to the church.

The Reverend Dale True of Berlin held services Sunday at the Wilson's Mills church.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to friends, neighbors and relatives, for the sympathy cards, floral tributes, Mass cards and the many other acts of kindness shown us in our recent bereavement. We would also like to extend our thanks to Dr. Young, the Fathers of St. Athanasius Church, the pallbearers and the I. W. Andrews and Son funeral home.

The Family of Anna Coolidge

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We wish to express our sincere thanks to all those who were so kind and helpful during our recent bereavement.

Mrs. Archie Young, Sr.
and family

EAMES - BOWDEN ENGAGEMENT

Miss Bonita Eames

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Eames of Bethel are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Bonita Eva, to Keith Herbert Bowden, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bowden Jr., of Esmond, R. I.

Miss Eames is a graduate of Gorham State College and is presently teaching in North Stonington, Conn.

Mr. Bowden is a graduate of Bates College. He served two years with the U. S. Marine Corp and plans to enter law school in the fall.

A July wedding is planned.

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— Mrs. P. W. Croteau, Corres. —

Mrs. Frank Carll and sons, Jeff and Robert, of Waterboro, were guests of her daughter and family, the Stanley Wilsons, a few days recently.

Edmund Mason and friend of West Paris, Mrs. Myra Jordan, and Mrs. Georgia Mason, of Locke Mills, also Mr. and Mrs. William Mason and Melissa of West Paris, were recent callers at the Stanley Wilsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Wilson and Douglas, called at the Malvern Wilsons at Gorham, N. H., Sunday.

Jeff Carll is visiting his sister, Mrs. Stanley Wilson, this week.

Edmund Mason and son, Eddie, were supper guests at Stanley Wilson's, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thompson were in Standish Sunday visiting relatives.

Bradley Harrington was a guest of his grandparents, the B. L. Harringtons, a few days this week.

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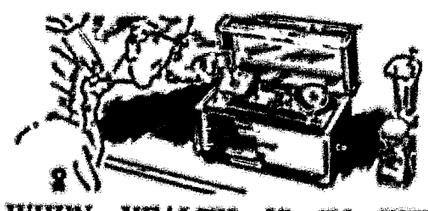

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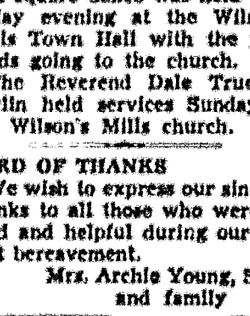

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